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# THE BRISTOL COURIER

BRISTOL, PA., WEDNESDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 24, 1948

## DAILY WEATHER REPORT

Mostly cloudy tonight and Thursday. No decided change in temperature.

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## SELECT JURORS TO SERVE FIRST WEEK OF CRIMINAL COURT

Term Will Open At Doylestown On Monday, November 29th

## LIST THE JURORS

Those Selected Are Residents In Various Sections Of Bucks County

A panel of traverse jurors has been drawn for the term of criminal court to be held in Doylestown, those selected to serve during the first week of court opening November 29th are announced as follows:

Ruth S. Anderson, Carversville; Robert Arons, Lacey Park; Anna Beaton, Bristol; Jane Bean, Riegelsville; Alice L. Bennett, Yardley; Courtland H. Barnard, Tredose; Calvin S. Beer, Bedminster; Maria Brill, Bristol; Mae Baur, Bristol; Elsie S. Blodheim, New Hope; Catherine C. Beck, Doylestown; Mildred Booz, Bristol R. D.; Fred Bolare, New Hope; Charles Brennan, Bristol; Arnold R. Jack, Dublin; Rebecca W. Berliner, Perkasie; Pierce J. Barrett, Bristol; Stanley Bergstrom, Danboro; Robert Chase, Morrisville; Edward H. Clark, Morrisville; Mary Chase, Langhorne R. D.; Carl A. Corts, Jr., Langhorne; Mary C. Elton, Feasterville; Grace M. Detleffer, Silverdale; John P. Dugan, Bristol; Helen L. Dean, New Hope; Samuel E. Dudbridge, Doylestown; May E. Duckworth, Telford; Maude E. Bristol; David E. Dean, Langmore R. D. L.

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## COMMUNITY XMAS MUSIC, Decorations Planned

Plans for Christmas decorating of special community programs of music were advanced when Mill Street Business Men's Association held a meeting last evening. Thirty-five gathered for dinner at the Keyone Hotel, with J. S. Lynn presiding.

Amplified recordings will fill the room with music each evening and at one other periods from Thanksgiving until Christmas time; gay-colored lights, bright greens, and aqua with the season's greetings, will be seen; and large candles and d-fashoned lanterns will blaze forth with Yuletide light.

The decorative motif for Mill Street and Radcliffe street from Mill to Mulberry, calls for small evergreens at the base of each electric light pole on those thoroughfares. At the four poles nearest each intersection there will be placed at points three-quarters of the way to the top, old fashioned lanterns or candles, two of each to a corner, these will light up seasonal words of greeting. Mid-way of each block will appear two-faced, wreathed aqua which will give forth a word of Christmas cheer.

The amplifier for the Christmas music recordings is being donated by the Bristol Blood Donors.

Community singing of carols will be on Christmas eve and possibly one or two other evenings at the community tree at Mill and Radcliffe streets. The leaders will be members of Bristol Glee Club. Music the glee club is also to be amplified this year, thus affording a large group to hear their numbers.

The association has arranged for Santa Claus to visit Bristol, and to send several hours a day on Mill Street during the holiday season. Members were informed at the meeting that post-hole digging equipment will be put to work next week at the borough parking lot, or the setting of posts for ranking facilities.

## III 14 Years, Croydon Woman Dies at Her Home

CROYDON, Nov. 24.—III for 14 years, Mrs. Amelia A. Knecht, 76, wife of the late Ernest K. Knecht, died at her home, First and Delaware avenues, last evening. She had resided here for some time.

Two daughters and three sons survive, namely: Mrs. Thomas F. Donahue, Mrs. William O'Keefe, Ernest, Frederick and Charles Knecht, eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren survive.

Service at 1:30 Saturday will be held at the funeral home of John C. Black, 314 Cedar street, Bristol, with burial in Bristol Cemetery. Friends may call Friday evening.

## Two Men Injured When Auto Crashes Into Wagon

Two men were injured last night when an automobile crashed into the rear of a horse-drawn wagon on the Bethlehem pike, a mile north of Quakertown.

Police said George Mofer, 35, of 6811 Rising Sun avenue, passenger in the car of Haley L. Wayne, of Lawndale street, near Cottman, and Peirce Cressman, 66, the wagon driver, were taken to Community Hospital, Quakertown. Mofer sustained cuts and bruises, while Cressman received head injuries.

## HERE AND THERE IN BUCKS COUNTY TOWNS

### Activities of Interest To All In The Various Communities

### GLEANED BY SCRIBES

Military honors were accorded Pfc. James Snyder by Doylestown Post, V.F.W., Sunday, where funeral was conducted in Lower Tinicum Reformed Church.

A son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Snyder, of near Plumsteadville, the soldier was serving with the 356th Infantry, Eighty-Eighth Division, when he was killed in action in Italy on September 24, 1944. He was buried in Florentine Cemetery about 17 miles north of Florence, Italy.

Inducted on February 11, 1945, he left for foreign service in December, 1943. He was located first in Africa, and later went to Italy. Officiating at the service was Rev. Roger L. Koehler.

Selection of candidates for offices to be filled next year, reception of four new members, a report concerning crops and the showing of color pictures were among the highlights at the meeting of Buckingham Farmers' Club entertained in the Grange hall, at Buckingham, Saturday evening by Mr. and Mrs. John Whitbeck.

Prior to the business session, in

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### BABIES ARRIVE

Babies born at Abington Hospital during the past week include the following: A son to Mr. and Mrs. John Hanusofski; a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. John Stritch, Lacey Park; a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Haworth, Magnolia road, Bristol township; a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Venere, Lafayette street, Bristol; a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wyrostek, R. D. Langhorne; a son to Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Ostapowicz, Rogers road, Bristol township.

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## A SUMMARY OF THE NEWS

Palestine boundaries would be determined on the dual basis of the United Nations partition resolution and the final Bernadotte plan under a proposal submitted by the United States yesterday in the General Assembly's Political Committee.

The United States and Britain were said to have reached agreement on the disposition of Italy's colonies. Britain would administer Cyrenaica, Italy the Italian Somaliland and Ethiopia the eastern part of Eritrea, all under United Nations trusteeship.

The Security Council will meet tomorrow to consider the situation in India, where the Hyderabad and Kashmir disputes remain unsettled.

A Nationalist relief force in China was said to be nearing Sushien on its way to the Szechuan front, where Communist pressure increased.

General MacArthur upheld the sentences imposed on 25 Japanese war criminals, including the death sentences for former Premier Togo and six others.

The Venezuelan Cabinet resigned to leave President Galegos free to name a new Government.

President Truman will make his first public address since the election when he speaks this afternoon to the Food and Agriculture Or-

## Sons Arrange Surprise For Pond St. Resident

Harry Rocco, Pond street, was given a surprise party Saturday evening in honor of his 65th birthday anniversary. The affair was arranged by his sons, James, Anthony, Arthur and Rudolf Rocco, of Bristol.

A buffet lunch was partaken of by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rocco, Mr. and Mrs. James Rocco and son James, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Rocco and children Phyllis Ann and Harry, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rocco and son, Arthur Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lissatari, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Yanchuk and daughters Evelyn and Yvonne. Mr. Rocco was the recipient of many gifts, including a purse of money.

## BUCKS PASTURE LAND TAKES ON NEW LOOK

### Rains of Last Few Days Have Greatly Helped The Grasses

### GRAINS SHOW UP WELL

DOYLESTOWN, Nov. 24.—Pasture lands are taking a new lease on life following the rather heavy rain the latter part of last week, said Assistant County Agent Paul T. Rothrock as he commented upon crop conditions this morning.

Pastures many of them very heavily grazed during the Summer and early Fall, were beginning to show the result of a lack of rain the latter part of September and the first part of last month.

The rain last week, said Mr. Rothrock, will give the grasses an opportunity to grow in case very cold weather does not arrive too soon. This will mean that the grazing lands next Spring will be in better condition.

In spite of the lack of rain, barley and wheat are making a good appearance. The occasional light rains, even though they did not penetrate the soil to any depth, in addition to the continued warm weather throughout the Fall, were of great benefit to the grain. A few of the farmers have some soy beans to be harvested.

With few exceptions, the corn harvest, which has been unusually good, has been completed. With other sections of the country which harvested the heaviest crop in history, Bucks county also rated quite high in its corn yield.

The length of time in harvesting

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### Leon M. Shemeley, III Long Time, Dies at Home

III for a long period of time, Leon M. Shemeley died at his home, 916 Cedar street, yesterday morning.

Formerly of Hulmeville, Mr. Shemeley came to Bristol seven years ago. He had been employed, prior to his illness, by Thomas L. Leedon Co.

Survivors are his wife, Anna; two daughters, Mrs. Irene Beecher, Newington, and Miss Pearl M. Shemeley, Bristol; son, Elmer A. Shemeley, Hulmeville; eight grandchildren, five brothers and a sister.

Services will be at the funeral home of William L. Murphy Estate, 316 Jefferson avenue, Saturday at two p. m. Interment will be in Bristol Cemetery. Friends may call Friday evening. Relatives and friends also members of William Penn Fire Co., Hulmeville, are invited to the funeral.

Ralph C. Reedman, Jr., of 3440 North Broad st., Phila., from Jessie E. Reedman, of Bristol township. They were married May 25, 1942 at Elkton, Md.

Clara W. Rogers, of Haycock township, from John J. Rogers, of 1317 S. Main st., Charlotte, N. C. They were married Sept. 25, 1939, at Elkton, Md.

Thelma Robinson Brown, of Langhorne, from Ralph Brown, of

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### SAGOLLA OPERATED UPON

Dominick "Sags" Sagolla, coach of the Council Rock football team, was operated upon for appendicitis Monday morning in the Metropolitan Hospital, Philadelphia. Sagolla's Council Rock eleven meets Southampton tomorrow afternoon on the Langhorne field in a "Little Three" contest.

SEVERI-BILLINI

Announcement is made of the marriage on Saturday of Miss Anna Billini, Philadelphia, and Mr. Thomas Severi, Overbrook, in St. Ann's R. C. Church on Saturday at three p. m. The Rev. Bernard Harding officiated.

TIDES AT BRISTOL

High water 9:16 a. m., 2:48 p. m.

Low water 3:58 a. m., 4:17 p. m.

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## THANKSGIVING

Maybe it's a little hard to find something for a dyed-in-the-wool Republican to be thankful for this November.

But there are some things—political and otherwise.

One is the very same subject that started Thanksgiving Day in the first place—that the nation really has an adequate food supply for the immediate future. Bumper crops are always a justification for giving thanks—even if the grocery-store prices stay high!

Here are some other reasons for a deep and sincere sense of gratitude:

That World War III, hasn't started—yet.

That we had the Taft-Hartley Act for at least a year; long enough for a breathing spell from the tumultuous era before this law was passed. Production of the things we need has climbed up enough to take the edge off the scarcities.

That we had a brief let-up in the terrific New Deal taxes—even though Mr. Truman may be about to restore the cuts.

That the children, this year, will actually be able to have toys and candy in abundance; the store windows look more like Christmas than they have since 1941.

That turkey prices aren't any higher.

That, for all the clamor about the housing shortage, most of our friends who really want new houses seem able to have them built—or build them!

That the downward trend in "new look" skirts seems to have stopped.

That we are living in America, which still has a future before it (if it can keep on being "eternally vigilant") and not living in some other part of the world whose future is behind it.

That God gave us all growing things—to prove, among other lessons, that the makeshifts of man are transient by comparison with the everlasting verities.

That happiness is a matter of hope rather than present reality; that "Man never is, but always to be, blessed;" and that recent disappointments can be forgotten in future expectations.

That there are Democrats in Congress just as patriotic and zealous of the true welfare of this nation as the might-have-been-elected Republican candidates.

That the turn of events has centered the basic decisions of American policy back where they always should have been centered under the Constitution—on the people's branch of the government, Congress.

That we aren't in Mr. Truman's shoes.

## GRAND JURY HEARS CRIMINAL COURT CASES

### George C. Mather, Langhorne, Is Appointed To Act As Foreman

### GRANT FIVE DIVORCES

DOYLESTOWN, Nov. 24.—Judge Calvin S. Boyer charged the Grand Jury Monday at the opening of the November term of criminal court, and appointed George C. Mather, Langhorne, a carpenter as foreman. Five cases are listed for Grand Jury action.

Trial by traverse juries will get under way next Monday.

Samuel Niglio, of Phila., pleaded guilty before Judge Keller this morning to a charge of assault and battery. The Court suspended sentence and placed Niglio on probation for 23 months.

The Court also directed that the defendant reimburse Ernest Jarnier, whom he injured in a tap room altercation, reimbursement for a serious eye injury. The injured person agreed to the arrangement.

Three divorces were handed down by Judge Keller and two by Judge Boyer this morning as follows:

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### The Record

Morrisville has been at its best since 1937. Since this year, the Bulldogs have won five games, lost four, and tied two.

Bristol has scored 194 points against the Morrisville clan since their first meeting while Morrisville has counted 119 points against the Bulldogs. Only in 1941 did the teams play to a scoreless tie.

The record:

Bristol	Year	Morrisville




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**THANKSGIVING, 1948**

The harvest was in. The Pil-  
grims, in that November of 1621,  
knew at last that most of them  
would survive a second New Eng-  
land winter. If the crops had  
failed, or if ships from Europe  
had failed to arrive with help, few  
would have lived until spring.

So the Pilgrims celebrated, not  
a single day, but a long period of  
thanksgiving. They invited their  
Indian neighbors, who came bearing  
great arrow-pierced wild tur-  
keys. They feasted together, and  
thanked God with songs and  
prayers, and unlimbered their  
work-stiffened sinews in lively  
games with the Indians. They  
were lucky, and they knew it.

For more than two centuries  
thereafter Thanksgiving was not  
celebrated annually, but only in  
years of particular peril. There  
was no fixed date for it, and ob-  
servation was not always nation-  
wide. But for nearly 90 years it  
has been an annual affair.

Its inner meaning has never  
been altogether staled by custom,  
but it no longer lies on the surface  
and it is necessary to dig deeper  
to find it. That is particularly  
true in 1948, when the 1621 pic-  
ture has almost reversed itself.

The Pilgrims of 1621, threat-  
ened by privation that had almost  
decimated their ranks, had saved  
themselves, with the help of God,  
by their own efforts. But their  
best efforts might have failed if  
ships had not borne subsistence  
from Europe's relative plenty.

Today it is Europe that must  
save itself, God willing, by its own  
efforts and the help of well-fed  
America.

The desperately poor, in 1621,  
gave thanks as they could. We  
their descendants, in 1948, will  
give thanks appropriate to our  
changed status by sharing our  
God-given abundance. We will  
thank God by remembering that  
He loves a cheerful giver.

**NATURE RUNS AMUCK**

The blizzard in Kansas, Col-  
orado and Nebraska which iso-  
lated dozens of towns and cities,  
stranded hundreds of travelers in  
buses and trains, and stopped  
transportation and most of the  
normal activities of residents of  
the area, was a reminder that  
nature can be as violent as ever.

No doubt people in that area,  
as elsewhere, had been saying  
that the weather certainly isn't  
what it was in years past. News-  
papers frequently printed stories  
of the sufferings of the pioneers,  
snowbound for weeks, and of  
travelers on stage and horse who  
had narrow escapes or lost their  
lives in blizzards in pioneer days.

Well, this is the atomic age,  
and when nature runs amuck peo-  
ple are just about as helpless as  
they were in the seventies. Elec-  
tric lines fail, trains cannot get  
through, and that wonderful new  
and indispensable invention, the  
automobile, is about as useful as  
a snowball in July.

Whether this onslaught of win-  
ter is a forerunner of what is  
ahead for the nation remains to  
be seen. Perhaps it is and perhaps  
it isn't. When even the weather-  
man misses his shots, there is  
nothing to do but wait and see.

**Inside Your  
Congress****Thanksgiving**

—by—  
**SAMUEL B. PETTENGILL**  
"The Gentleman from  
Indiana"

The Mayflower, on its lonely path  
across the Atlantic, was a grander  
sight than the fleets of great ad-  
mirals. For in that little ship were  
great-hearted men and women who  
"braved the tempests of the vast  
and furious ocean and the terrors  
hurking in the American wilder-  
ness" to found a new society where  
the word "MAN" was written in  
capital letters.

In the ship's cabin, the Mayflower  
Compact was written on November  
11, 1620. It established the first  
charter of a government of the peo-  
ple, by the people, and for the peo-  
ple, known to history.

Magna Carta was signed by a  
king. It granted to knights and  
nobles some of the liberty they de-  
manded. Other milestones on free-  
dom's path had been erected by  
aristocrats and earls—brave men,  
too, and to them our thanks.

But the Mayflower Compact was  
signed by every man on board. They  
all recognized each other as equal  
sovereigns in their "civil body  
politic." It became the first Amer-  
ican State paper—the first constitu-  
tion of government by white men  
on this Western shore. History  
records no nobler venture for Faith  
and Freedom. In weariness and  
painfulness, in hunger and cold,  
they laid the foundation of State,  
dedicated to the proposition that all  
men are created equal before God  
and the law. All men. No exceptions  
whatever.

This page of history has a sequel.  
It is the first Thanksgiving Procla-  
mation by a President of the United  
States—George Washington, on No-  
vember 26, 1789. For 2,000 years  
there had been harvest festivals  
when the earth brought forth its  
increase. But good harvests were  
not the important point for which  
General Washington thought thanks  
should be given. He asked that it  
be a day of thanks for the adoption  
of the Constitution—a more perfect  
union of a greater government than  
that of the Pilgrims.

After Washington, no President  
issued a Thanksgiving Proclamation  
until Abraham Lincoln on Octo-  
ber 3, 1863. Referring to the great-  
ness of our country, "No human  
counsel hath devised," he said, "nor  
hath any mortal hand worked out  
these great things."

Thanksgiving was more than tur-  
key and family ties re-knit, to  
Washington and Lincoln. It should  
be more than that to us. To them  
it was the day of the citizen, grate-  
ful for "the grand doctrine that all  
men are born equal and born free,  
born to the same inheritance, exactly  
of chances and of hopes, where  
every child is invited and stimu-  
lated to strive for the happiest life  
the largest future, the most con-  
spicuous virtue."

I am glad that I live in a land  
where an election can be held in  
which no one is killed, and against  
which no one appeals to force; glad  
that I can write and speak and read  
and hear the thoughts of other men;  
glad that I have the key to a home  
in which no one may enter uninvited;  
glad that racial and religious  
sorrows are healing in this blessed  
land; glad that Big League baseball  
has admitted Negroes to its ranks;  
glad that, if accused, I can be tried  
by a jury of my peers; glad that  
Star Chamber and the rack have  
passed out of our society; and the  
Gestapo has not entered it; glad  
that there is no American Siberia  
for political minorities to perish in;  
glad that I can go anywhere be-  
tween our oceans and without pass-  
port or permission; glad that I can  
choose my job or quit and choose  
again; glad that any group can hit  
church spires to the skies, or  
cathedral towers, or lay the founda-  
tion of mosque or synagogue and  
none to say them nay; glad for our  
children's schools and our labora-  
tories where men are free to seek  
out the secrets of the atom and the  
Milky Way, or create stout slaves  
of iron and steel to do the world's<sup>1</sup>  
hard work; glad that Washington  
and Jefferson and Pilgrim and  
Cavalier are my inheritance—to  
have and to hold.

SAMUEL B. PETTENGILL

**Grand Jury Hears  
Criminal Court Cases**

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Wilmington, Del. They were mar-  
ried at Langhorne, July 16, 1936.

Mary Profy, of 245 Mill St., Bris-  
tol, from Thomas Profy, Jr., of 72  
Schumacher Drive, Bristol.

John E. Slack, of Middletown  
township, from Mabel C. Slack, of  
Phila. They were married June 27,  
1905, at Phila.

W. King Allen, of Tinicum town-  
ship, a retired resident of that com-  
munity, pleaded guilty before Judge  
Keller to driving while drunk in  
Doylestown on April 21, this year,  
when he was arrested by Patrolman  
Vern Hoyt, of the Doylestown po-  
lice.

Hoyt testified that Allen's car  
struck a parked coal truck that was  
driven by James J. Davis, Jr., and was  
backed up to a residence at

133 North Main street, Doylestown.

The policeman testified that Allen  
was "very drunk" and that he was  
impolite and abusive when he was  
arrested.

Allen testified that he had been  
drinking at an Upper Black Eddy  
hotel before the accident. The de-  
fendant further testified that the  
policeman knocked a cigarette case out  
of his hands and later knocked a  
cigarette out of his mouth.

Patrolman Hoyt denied the ac-  
cusation, explaining to the court that  
he asked Allen to refrain from  
smoking at the doctor's office during  
his examination, and that he did  
not place Allen's cigarette case in  
the defendant's side pocket.

Character witnesses for Allen in-  
cluded Quintus Lerch, of Tinicum  
township, and Howard M. Barnes,  
of Doylestown.

Judge Keller imposed a sentence of  
\$200 and costs on Allen.

Daniel K. Boyce, of Bethlehem,  
pleaded guilty before Judge Boyer  
to operating an automobile after his  
operating privilege had been re-  
voked. He was fined \$25 and costs.

**TULLYTOWN**

Mrs. Ferdinand Bachofer is a  
patient in the Anderson Hospital,  
Philadelphia.

Mrs. Mabel Carlen was a recent  
visitor of Mrs. Stanley Yakinzyk,  
Morrisville.

Mrs. William Hedrick and daughter  
Judith spent a week with Mr. and  
Mrs. Albert Morgan, Trenton,  
N. J.

William Hedrick is spending two  
weeks with relatives in Strouds-  
burg.

Mrs. Leah Carlen was a recent  
visitor of Mrs. John Curran, Phila-  
delphia.

Little Robert Frazier is on the sick  
list.

Mrs. Catherine Slager has im-  
proved her home by having siding  
applied.

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**HULMEVILLE**

The place of residence of Mr. and  
Mrs. John Dougherty has been  
changed from Washington avenue  
to Bristol. Mr. and Mrs. Horace  
Tomlinson and children will move  
from Catherine street into the house  
vacated by the Doughertys.

The local school closed at noon  
today for Thanksgiving holidays.  
Sessions will be started again on  
Monday morning.

Mrs. Louis Binder, and Mrs. and  
Mrs. Frank Flemish and children  
of Allentown, will pay visits over  
the holidays to Mr. and Mrs. Frank  
Binder.

Miss Marie Hanson left today for  
Poloer where she will be a guest  
over the holiday season of her  
brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and  
Mrs. Martin Steinmetz.

Mr. and Mrs. William McCormick  
and children, Mary, John and Wil-  
liam, of Beverly, N. J., were recent  
visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Hans  
Scheich.

Following a lengthy period of  
hospitalization, Jacob Monaghan is  
improving at his home.

A house guest of Dr. and Mrs. N.  
P. Larson is Mrs. Nissina J. Mat-  
tler, of Berlin, N. J.

**EMILIE**

Mrs. Willis Wink is on the sick  
list.

The Women's Society of Christian  
Service, Emilie Methodist Church,  
held its monthly meeting on Wed-  
nesday evening at the home of Mrs.  
E. H. Shoemaker, with an attend-  
ance of 34.

Miss Dorothy Lovett was hostess at  
a turkey dinner at her home on  
Saturday evening. Covers were  
placed for Mr. and Mrs. William Le-  
becker, Fallington; Miss Elizabeth  
Everly, Morrisville; L. Gasbell,

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cluded Quintus Lerch, of Tinicum  
township, and Howard M. Barnes,  
of Doylestown.

Judge Keller imposed a sentence of  
\$200 and costs on Allen.

Daniel K. Boyce, of Bethlehem,  
pleaded guilty before Judge Boyer  
to operating an automobile after his  
operating privilege had been re-  
voked. He was fined \$25 and costs.

William Hedrick is spending two  
weeks with relatives in Strouds-  
burg.

Mrs. Leah Carlen was a recent  
visitor of Mrs. John Curran, Phila-  
delphia.

Little Robert Frazier is on the sick  
list.

Mrs. Catherine Slager has im-  
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## BULLDOGS AND WARRIORS TO CLASH IN TURKEY-DAY CLASSIC HERE; TWO OTHER GAMES SCHEDULED

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Coach Marlon VanHorn's boys have won seven of their nine games and have tied two. They have a record of scoring on every team they have engaged this season and have hauled up the amazing total of 31 points.

Comparing the records of the two teams this season, Bensalem should be the victor. Langhorne has won three games and lost five. It has dropped its last four games.

Indications point to a close game between Morrisville and Bristol here. Coach Gordon Davis' team has won five games, lost two, and tied one. Coach Harry McClister's Bristol team has won three, lost five, and tied one. Morrisville has scored 155 points while holding its foes to 68. Bristol has racked up 100 points while its opponents have scored 122.

Comparing the opponents of the two teams will not help any. Morrisville was beaten by Bensalem, while Bristol held the Owls to a 6-6 tie. On the other hand, Morrisville beat Burlington while the Blue Devils beat the Warriors. Morrisville scored 34 points against Langhorne while Bristol's best was 18, both lost to Trenton Catholic by a touchdown.

Morrisville scored triumphs over Princeton, Burlington, Pennsbury, Southampton and Langhorne and lost to Trenton Catholic and Bensalem. Council Rock held the Bulldogs to a deadlock.

Bristol's wins were over Hatboro, Ronshocken, and Langhorne while its defeats were handed to them by Trenton Catholic, Pottstown, Abington, Vineland, and Burlington. The game with Bensalem ended in a stalemate.

Six seniors will be in the starting Bristol lineup and it will be the final game for this sextet. "Jim" Sottile, star wingman for the past three seasons, will be playing his war game. All season Sottile has been snatching passes thrown in his direction and also has been a fine defensive player. Coach McClister's two guards, Bud Pearson and Frank Genco will be playing their last game in a Bristol high uniform. Pearson has opened large holes for the backs for the past two seasons and has broken up many plays of visiting schools. Genco came up fast this season to earn starting berth.

Bob Kornstedt is finishing up his school football. Kornstedt is a back and will be in at right half against the Bulldogs. Most of last season and part of this year, Kornstedt was doing most of the kicking for the Warriors. Since a head injury against Pottstown, Kornstedt was not used much early in the season but has been playing mostly defensive ball in recent games.

"Val" Bielecki and "Georgie" Warchol are the other two seniors who will be among the missing next year. Bielecki and Warchol did not play varsity ball until this season but made good from the start. Bielecki is a center and has carried in the brunt of his work since Ned Albright was injured. Warchol, a demon on the defense, is a tackle. The other starting Bristol end will be Frank Rich who has shown brilliantly in the last two games. Rich, a lanky youngster, is quite adept in the catching of aerials and

is the strong Tacony A. A. eleven will be the opponent of the St. Ann's A. A. gridiron tomorrow afternoon on the high school field. Kickoff is scheduled for 2:15 o'clock.

Known to have one of the strongest teams in Philadelphia, the Tacony boys will be well groomed for the "Saints." For the past several years, St. Ann's has been anxious to put Tacony on its schedule of both football and baseball. Athletic Director Sam Moffo and Manager Lou Nicols finally succeeded in securing this Thanksgiving Day tilt.

### F. Chrostwaite Speaker

### Here to County Group

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income therefrom to reduce taxes." According to Mr. Chrostwaite, "boroughs have nearly every power they need." It was explained here is a movement afoot to change the fiscal year for boroughs from January to July and to make it coincide with the fiscal year of school districts.

He advocated municipal ownership of utilities by boroughs and cited instances where such has proven very profitable. He suggested the creating of sinking funds to be used for depreciation and rehabilitation.

There was a brief address of welcome to the visitors by Jacob C. Schmidt, burgess of Bristol. Burgess Schmidt praised the progress of Bristol, told of its growth and development. He highly complimented the council of the borough of Bristol, and specifically mentioned the various committees and departments of Bristol borough's government.

He invited the group to return to Bristol sometime for a day session that they might have an opportunity to see Bristol and to learn at hand its many advantages. He mentioned that Bristol was incorporated in 1629 and that great progress has been made, especially within the past 15 years. He said at Bristol council is doing a wonderful job in operating the borough's water works, which is a million and a half dollar corporation, serving a population of 20,000. He gave it as his opinion that Bristol could be forced to seek more of its water supply from the Delaware River because of the increased need for a greater quantity. "I feel confident that we will have water sufficient

client for all industries here," he stated.

"We have 23 miles of streets, eight miles being of concrete. We have a good police and fire department and our fire loss is very low. There are over 30 miles of sewers. The burgess said that he thought Bristol had been honored in having the Bucks County Association of Boroughs meet here."

In making his report as secretary, Francis J. Byers, Bristol, advised that he had prepared copies of the association's by-laws for distribution. He reported that 20 of the 22 boroughs in the county had joined the association, and that 15 names had been listed as members of the executive committee. Sixteen boroughs have paid their dues, and 92 representatives were present at the meeting last evening.

Treasurer D. Russell Bond, Newtown, reported a total of \$370 paid in as membership dues.

President G. Thawley Hayman, Doylestown, presided and expressed his appreciation for the fine attendance and the work of the committee in arranging the affair. The committee was composed of I. J. Hetherington, William Wallace, Joseph Ferry, James Eagan and John Racagni, all Bristol councilmen.

Mr. Hayman informed the group that three invitations had been received for the meeting in February. "As you recall," he said, Charles G. Rathke, president of Bristol borough council, at our meeting in Quakertown, invited us to meet here this evening."

The blessing was invoked by Captain Butler, Doylestown, and it was voted to hold the next meeting February 15 with Perkasie-Sellersville being the hosts. Other invitations were received from Morrisville, Newtown and Doylestown. The executive committee will meet in Doylestown sometime in January.

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## Kramers Celebrate Their Golden Wedding Anniversary

SELLERSVILLE, Nov. 24 — A couple who were wed in this borough 50 years ago, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary a few days ago.

The celebrants, who live on Telford Pike, are Mr. and Mrs. Francis Kramer. They were married at a ceremony performed by the Rev. J. H. Wadelich.

In attendance at the anniversary dinner were 43 persons, including 12 children, 15 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren of the couple.

Mr. Kramer, who is 69 years of age, is employed as a wood worker by a Souderton firm. Mrs. Kramer is 68.

### Today's Quiet Moment

By the Rev. Semerian B. Brown  
B. D.  
Pastor  
Bethel A.M.E. Church

—  
Eternal God, our Father, send by Thy Church light for our seeing and love for our living in the chaos of this day. May we maintain the faith and vigor of other days which knew well the joy of labor and the victory of faith. Despite our feverish efforts to extend the kingdom, grant us the gift of Thy spirit and the assurance of Thy presence through Jesus. Amen.

### In a Personal Way

INTERESTING items of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings.

To arrange for publication of weddings, telephone The Bristol Courier, Bristol 846, notifying at least a few days in advance the date of ceremony.

Engagement announcements must be submitted in writing.

Members of The Granzow Revue entertained at a new service club, Fort Dix Club No. 8, at Fort Dix, N. J., on Thursday. They also have other engagements on Nov. 24, 28 and 30. A large audience enjoyed numbers by the following: Rose Mary Bonner, "Betty" Jane Hall, Rita Trava, Evelyn Keats, "Betty" and Emma Wilcock, Janet Stevenson, "Dotty" Keers, Joan Fries, and Patricia Phipps. Rita Trava and "Ronnie" Spezzano were vocalists, with Mrs. Mildred Heffernan at the piano. Mrs. Arthur Phipps was mistress of ceremonies.

Mr. and Mrs. John Arena and daughter Jacqueline, of Radcliffe street, Miss Florence Heath and Miss Ann Marie Dugan, Buckley street, spent Sunday visiting Mr. Arena's father, B. Arena, at Hammon, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sacks, Bath road, entertained at cards last Thursday evening. Prizes were given to Joseph McLean, Mrs. Sacks and J. Swartz. Refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. J. Swartz and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolf Ruby, Cleveland street, entertained at a dinner party Sunday in honor of their son, Frank Ruby, of Croydon, who was celebrating his birthday anniversary. Guests included: Mrs. Frank Ruby, Croydon, Miss Ruth Ruby and Mrs. Frederick Kring, Bristol.

Mrs. William Rogers and son "Billy," of Brighton, Colo., are spending a month with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Allen, New Buckley street.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Babicki, of Chester, were guests on Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. Teofil Ostroski, Bath road.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Rogers, Benson Place, were hosts Friday evening at the second "Family Night" for a group from Harriman Methodist Church. Parents and children enjoyed games, and quiz between women and men. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Dugan, Bath road, Mrs. Cecilia Grimes, Miss Theresa Grimes, Raymond Grimes and Mrs. Agnes Taylor, Cedar street and Geno Callahan, Otter street, spent Sunday at Childs, Md., visiting Edward Grimes at the Oblate Novitiate.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Monaco, of Frankford, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Angelo DeRisi. In the evening Mrs. DeRisi and guests were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Leggieri, at Riverside, N. J.

William Grow, Market street, left Saturday to join Mrs. Grow at St.

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## RAMBLERS DEFEAT THE WASHINGTON TEAM, 2-0

Playing their second game of the season the Bristol Ramblers Roller Hockey team shut out the Riverside Rollers at the Riverside Stadium, Washington, D. C., Sunday. The Washington players are leading the league in their division.

The first period was chockful of exciting action, with plenty of hard body blocking and checking. Both teams were fighting hard, but neither team scored.

In the second period, things really started to click with clever passing by both teams. After 12 minutes of hard battling, Lawrence Ritter scored for the Ramblers with a spectacular shot from just outside the cage that caromed off the shoulder of Washington's goalie Selly. Earl Hampton was credited with the assist.

In 15 minutes after the third period, Lawrence Ritter again scored or the Ramblers on a pass from "Bill" Ritter, and taking Selly out of his position of goalie. The Ramblers maintained this lead throughout the rest of the game.

Riverside Rollers: Selly, 1—G.

Philly's, 10—R. D.; Hayes, 0—L. D.; Stibbins, 3—C.; Leafther, 6—R. W.; Graham, 5—L. W.

Ramblers: Johnson, 8—G.; Ritter, W., 1—R. D.; Dreher, G., 16—L. D.; Birmingham, E., 17—C.; Ritter, L., 13—R. W.; Hampton, E., 15—L. W.

Spares—Riverside Rollers: Ritter, B., 13; Hollis, 7; Hope, 4; Jones, 8; Nies, 9; Viner, 2. Ramblers: Ritter, J. 2; Ritter, F. 5; Keene, 9; McCollum, 4; Dugan, 7; Sottung, 14.

## TOWNSHIP ELEVEN CLOSES THE SEASON

heaved one of the passes which enabled Eisenbrey to score. Eisenbrey's second catch of a pass was one thrown by Ruth Loeffler tossed a long pass to Long for the final touchdown of the day. Two of the extra points were converted.

Township had nine first downs in the game while St. Francis was credited with two.

**Brilliant Township**  
Ends: Hedrick, Long, Egan, Lumpkin, Edwards, Greenlee, Sorenson, Braam, Scott.

Guards: Beth, Gray, DeFranco, Carver.

Center: Cummings, Gleason.

Backs: Eisenbrey, Turner, Loeffler, Harrison, Holton, Muth, Jones.

**St. Francis**

Ends: Hagan, Nataro.

Tackles: Clark, Colizzi, McGuire.

Center: Kelly.

Backs: Breslin, DeBello, Lazarosch, McAleer.

Score by quarters:

St. Francis: 13 12 6 7—38

Township: 0 0 0 0—0

Township scoring:

Touchdowns—Harrison, 2; Loeffler, Eisenbrey, 2.

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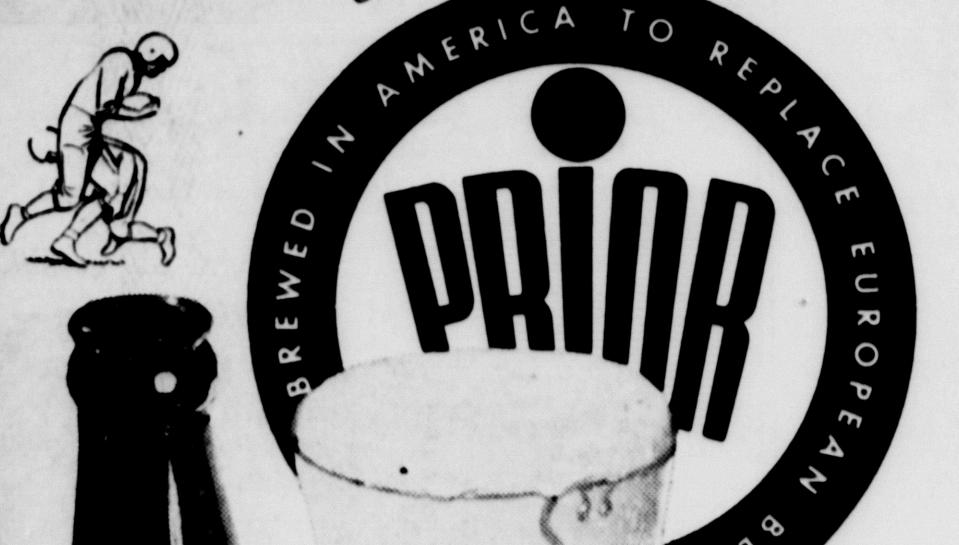


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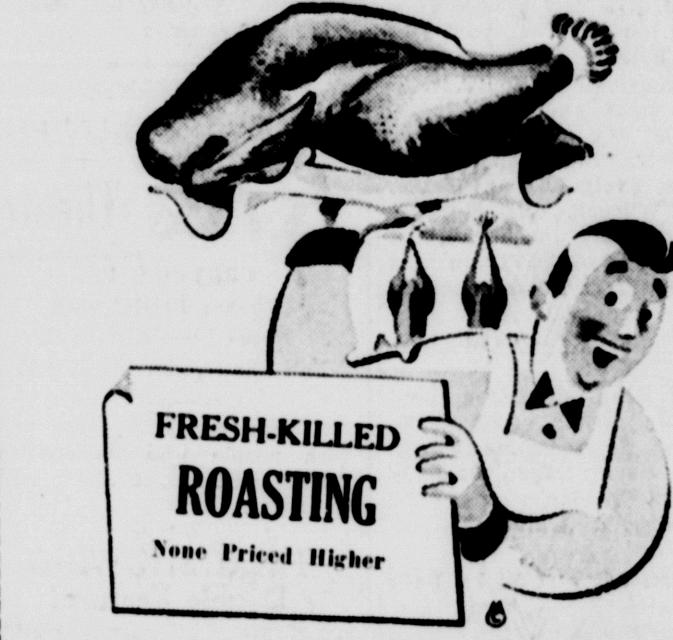
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